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1. GOLD MINES

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a. Zlot Gold Mines: are located about five kilometers northwest of Salas (25 kilometers north of Zajecar). They are small mines under control of the Bor Mines. As far as I know, there was no work done at these mines during the time of the German occupation and no operations are being carried on at the present time.

b. Slisane Gold Mines: are located in Slisane, about 50 kilometers southwest of Mis. They are small mines that were under the control of the Bor Mines prior to World War II. There is a flotation plant at Slisane which did produce lead concentrate with a considerable content of gold. Concentrates were shipped to the Bor smelter which was erected prior to World War II by a German firm named "Humbolt". I do not know if these mines are in operation at this time or not.

2. LEAD MINES

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Avola Lead Mines: located in the southern outskirts of Belgrade, these mines were under the control of the Bor Mines prior to World War II, and were mostly research works at that time. I do not know what operations the Germans carried on at the time of the occupation and I have not heard

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that operations have been resumed since the liberation.

3. SALT MINES AND COCA PLANT

Are located at Salkavac, southeast of Graenica. This was a large undertaking, owned by the State before World War II. Exact figures of production are unknown to me.

4. ALUMINUM PLANT

A large aluminum plant is located a few miles north of Split. Prior to World War II, this plant was owned by the French company, "La Dalmatienne". Figures of production are not known to me.

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